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Sen. Kuipers votes to revoke Gun Lake Band casino compact

LANSING – Sen. Wayne Kuipers, R-Holland, joined his Senate colleagues today in revoking the body’s previous endorsement of a tribal-state gaming compact between the state of Michigan and the Gun Lake Band of the Pottawatomini Indians, as well as its recommendation that the governor sign the compact. He made the following statement after the vote:

“The people have spoken on gambling in our state: They want more control over the expansion of it. Because of November vote on Proposal 1 and a study that shows the job loss if the Allegan County casino opens, I gladly voted to revoke the compact.”

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